GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE
LOK SABHA

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VACANT POSTS IN CGHS
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Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

(a) whether several posts of Ayurvedic and Homeopathic Pharmacists are lying vacant in CGHS, Delhi;

(b) if so, the details thereof including the date from which these posts are lying vacant;

(c) whether Central Employment Exchange had sponsored the names of candidates for the vacant posts of Homoeopathic/Ayurvedic Pharmacists in August, 2003;

(d) if so, the reasons for not filling up these posts so far; and

(e) the time by which the aforesaid posts are likely to be filled up?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH & FAMILY WELFARE (SMT. PANABAKA LAKSHMI)

(a)&(b): Yes Sir, only 4 posts of Pharmacist cum clerk (Ayurveda) and 7 posts of pharmacist cum clerk (Homeopathy) are lying vacant in CGHS Delhi, as on 31st July 2006 as per existing staff strength. These posts have fallen vacant progressively as given below:

Vacancy position of Homeopathic and Ayurvedic Pharmacists during last 3 years

Sl.No	Pharmacist cum clerk	2003-04	2004-05	As on 31.7.2006
1.	Homeopathic	3	4	7
2.	Ayurvedic	3	3	4

(c): Yes Sir.

(d)&(e): SIU had conducted a study on the staffing norms of Homoeopathy/Ayurveda. dispensaries/units and has fixed the norms as per the average daily attendance. In this study SIU has shown overall surplus staff position in respect of AYUSH dispensaries.